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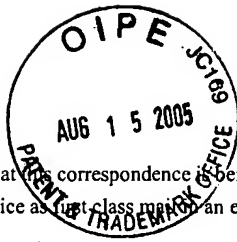
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Sir:

Submitted herewith for placement in to the file of the above-captioned application, is a copy of U.S. patent no. 5,292,686 to Riley et al. ("the Riley patent"). It is believed that the Riley patent was previously submitted for the Examiner's consideration the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement mailed July 20, 2004. However, a typographical error in that supplemental IDS listed U.S. patent no. 5,292,685 to "Riley et al.", and the Examiner placed her initials beside this entry. U.S. patent no. 5,292,685, however, is not to Riley et al. but to Inoguchi et al.

It is believed that the Riley patent was actually enclosed with the Supplemental IDS of July 20, 2004 and was considered by the Examiner, as this Supplemental IDS also

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included a copy of the Search/Examination report of the corresponding PCT application correctly listed the Riley patent.

However, in an abundance of caution, Applicants hereby request that the enclosed copy of the Riley patent be placed in the file for the instant application prior to granting.

Respectfully submitted,

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